UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION II

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SUBJECT:

Nelson Galvanizing-Completion of CERCIA Removal Action

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As of November 8, 1991 the removal action at Nelson Galvanizing was completed when the last 14 drums of contaminated sulphate salts was shipped for disposal. These salts failed TCLP for selenium, and were brokered to S & W Waste (S. Kearny, NJ) for stabilization. As soon as scheduling allows, the waste will be transported to GSX (most likely), ID #SC070375985, for ultimate disposal. Two other possible disposal sites are Chem Waste in Model Cities, NY and Fondessy Ent. in Oregon, Ohio. The broker, C. K. Industries Inc., has agreed to contact me as soon as the shipping date and disposal site is finalized. At that time I will conduct a compliance check of the disposal facility and will notify the broker of the suitability of the facility.

With the last shipment of waste leaving the site Mr. Sweeney has complied with the substantive provisions of the consent agreement he signed with EPA. The sole remaining activity is the submission of the final version of the Post Removal Report, which is just about due. I will forward a copy of the report to you as soon as it is issued.

I will be periodically stopping by the facility during my travels in New York City, and if I see that the situation is again becoming like it was I will contact you.

Any questions or comments, please call me at 8-340-6617.

cc: M. Mintzer, 20RC